BRITISH AIR DEFENCE GERMANY DECLARES WAR "I'M NOT IN RACE," IS HOTLY ATTACKED ON PORTUGUESE REPUBLIC

Lord Beresford and Lord Montague Call It Weak and Inefficient. .

NOT SO, SAYS LANSDOWNE

Special Cable Despatch to THE SEN LONDON, March 9 .-- In the course of debate in the House of Lords this afternoon on Great Britain's anti-aircraft defence Lord Beresford delivered a spirited attack on the Government for taking inadequate and wasteful measures.

"We have spent money like water buying useless machines from other nations, causing the loss of some of our finest aviators," was one of the charges of the one time First Sea Lord.

Lord Beresford was joined in his attack by Lord Montagu, who advocated the creation of a separate ministry to deal with the aviation problem. He asserted that there was great need of larger and wider powers on the part of those in charge of this branch of national defence.

"The present position of our air service is unsatisfactory," said Lord Montagu. "In twenty-five Zeppelin raids not one machine has been brought down by our anti-aircraft guns. Our system or our guns must be replaced and greater

Defends Government.

Lord Lansdowne, speaking for the Government, said in reply to tacks that the monthly output of aero-planes in England is now twenty times greater than in peace time, and would abled during the coming summer.

At the end of this month the strength of the squadrons was eight times that of the aerial force that accompanied the expeditionary force in 1914. Every precaution is being taken to meet the Zep-

commodity vitally necessary to her ehemies." Proper methods in dealing with this question are now being discussed with the other members of the Quadruple Entente, according to Lord Robert Cecil, Parliamentary Under Sected in the German declaration.

either into the war.

The immediate provocation of the long expected rupture between Germany and Portugal was the latter's record seizure was only justifiable in case of public necessity in Portugal, whereas the guess harbors. This point is emphasized in the German declaration. Great Britain is contemplating a still

able stir in Parliament was one by Lord Robert, declaring that many Germans of military age have returned to Gerneutral countries by the in this connection. While no names were mentioned and no particular cases to Germany on Scandinavian, especially

Allied Conference Unofficial.

For the first time since the announceence in Paris the subject was to-day given serious attention in the House of commons. Premier Asquith assured the Commons. Premier Asquith assured the House that nothing would be desired to Spain at once. House that nothing would be done at the mons." The Premier's explanation was elicited by a query on the part of former seizures of German ships "the gravest of Spain the seizure of all wheat stock Minister Robertson, who demanded an breach of neutrality and of special in Spain has been ordered by the Govannance from the Government that it treaties." Germany, the declaration ernment, which will set fair prices. will not enter into any fiscal arrange-ments with the Allies until a parliamenrangements.
The British representatives to the WANTS CANAL ZONE

"will only interchange views and will return absolutely uncommitted to cific measures. Cate is to be tal to adopt no measures more harmful to the Allies than to the enemy."

This preliminary discussion of the robable steps to be taken at the Paris onference was provoked, it is believed, by recent unofficial "explanations" osed commercial war by the Allie against Germany to be enacted after peace has been concluded, but the initiative of which, these stories said, was to

be taken during the war.

With regard to conscription, Premier Asquith told the House of Commons that he would lay proposals before the House

Unmarried Men Called. Harold C. Tennant, Parliamentary

Secretary for the War Office, that all groups of unmarried men sional committee recently that it would who had voluntarily attested under the take 25,000 American soldiers to defend military service act had been called upon the explained that "the Government has fully considered the military necessities before calling upon the married men."

Mr. Tennant announced that the number of British and colonial soldiers officially reported wounded or missing in the Daydanelles campaign was Cofficers.

the Dardanelles campaign was: Officers, 333. and others, 11.221. Thirty-three officers and 470 others were taken prisoners, he added. This puts the total ses in wounded, missing and prisoners well qualified to fill responsible positions

of the Turks.

N. Y. TEACHERS WIN STAY.

Transfer of Special Instructors officers and our defence board has the Held Up Pending Appeal.

ALBANY, March 9.—A number of New York teachers appeared to-day before Dr. Thomas E. Finegan, Deputy Commissioner of Education, in support of the appeal of Anna Pettebone from the action of the New York city Board of Education regarding transfers and proceediess of teachers. Following the assistance of teachers. of teachers. Following the argument Dr. Finegan issued a restraining order prohibiting the board from making transfers in the high schools until the appeal is determined, which will be

of kindergarten, music, drawing and other special teachers to regular positions in the elementary schools and the promotion of certain teachers in high school positions. The question of the use of public funds apportioned by the State to New York city also is involved.

ST. LOUIS WOMEN TO AID.

Seizure of Ships Most Recent of Several Causes Stated by Berlin-Spain May Be Affected-Diplomatists Depart-Lisbon Prepares Defence.

1.2 DECLARATIONS OF WAR IN FORCE

THE twelfth declaration of war since July, 1914, was announced yester-

Belgium, although an actual belligerent, has neither declared war nor has war been declared against her.

tria-Hungary

October 16-Bulgaria announces state

Portugal's awkward position."

Among the alleged breaches of neu-

The seizure of the German ships, Ber

of the tonnage at Portugal's disposal". Instead, the German manifesto asserts,

the Portuguese Government "did no

to enter into communicat

The Portuguese Government seized the ships in a fashion which must be considered as an international provoca-

while the Admiral's ship fired a

tion of Germany. The German flag was hauled down on board the ships and the

Her total available strength is est mated at \$70,000 men. She has a pay

Serbla.

Portugal.

August 2-France declares a state of October 15-England declares war war with Germany. August 4-England announces a state of war with Germany

ovember 5-England and France de- March 8-Germany declares war on clare war on Turkey.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN. LONDON, March 9.—Germany and Portugal have been "officially at war" since 3:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. The declaration came from Germany, the trality by Portugal the German mani-Berlin Government handing passports to festo cites the permission of free passthe Portuguese Minister simultaneously age to English troops through the colthe Portuguese Minister simultaneously ony of Mozambique; the permission given to English men-of-war to use ter at Lisbon of a long list of grievances upon which Germany bases her action.

Germany charges, in substance, that the English navy to use Madeira as a Germany charges, in substance, that

acts "openly gave evidence that Portugal frontier of German Southwest Africa considers herself England's vassal, for and Angola and frequent insults to the whom England's interests and wishes are tuguese Parliament, who eever were paramount in comparison with other con- reprimanded. siderations.

Late to-night it had not been made known what answer Portugal has sent, or proposes to send, to the German decla-

A Lisbon despatch to the Paris Matin. A Lisbon despatch to the trans Matth, even try to enter and commindent predicting a rupture between the two countries, says that Portugal already has taken protective measures along her of the German vessels the German despression. neans of false passports. The Under coast and at the entrance of the Tagus secretary added that the Governments against submarines. Orders have been neutral nations have been warned given that the lighthouses remain dark. here to the opinion that the Germancited, the belief is that the cases in Portuguese break may have an impor-question, or the majority of them, are tant effect upon the attitude of Spain. question, or the majority of them, are tant effect upon the attituded those of Germans who have returned. The latter country has maintained strict neutrality throughout the war, but the Entente Allies believes she inclines to the Teutonic side. An elaborate preparedness programme has been recently inau-

A Lisbon despatch to-day stated that

nference "to fetter the free action of a summary of the reasons cited in the declaration of war quotes the German Government as calling Portugal's recent

T. R.'S FINAL WORD

Requests That His Name Be Kept Out of Primaries in All States.

TAKES RAP AT WILSON

Col. Theodore Roosevelt, in a shor article written for Henry L. Stoddard of the New York Evening Mall and cabled to that newspaper yesterday from Port of Spain, Trinidad, says he will not permit the use of his name in the Presidential primaries in any State of th

That part of his statement was due to the movement in Massachusetts to the suggestion does not appeal to the Colonel, and this year, unlike 1912, "his hat is not in the ring," "unless," as the Colonel puts it in his statement, "the country has in its mood something of the heroic-unless it feels not only devotion to ideals, but the purpose measurably to realize those ideals in action."

explains, is compelled by this action to "I am deeply sensible of the honor

with all my heart and soul I striven and shall continue to strive. Indeed, I will go further and not only devotion to ideals but the at this time.

Portugal has a regular standing army 30,000 men, with 230,000 reserves. spirit and with the ability shown by those who upheld the hands of Washington and Lincoln. Whether we do or lo not accomplish this feat will largely lepend on the action taken at the Resulbican and Progressive national consentions next June.

The only reference in the Senate to-day to the German submarine situation outside of Senator McCumber's withdrawal of his resolution came just before the adjournment, when Senator Vardaman took the floor and defended the resolution introduced by Senator Gore, Senator Vardaman's talk was worth.

FOR TRAINING CAMP

ORPHAN SUPPLY LOW

Mrs. Heath Can't Meet Demands for Little Ones Wants and Can'd Come, carrived at the Wants of Can'd Come, carrived at the the Government is considering the question of a moratorium in the case that it will call upon married men. He added dorf-Astoria yesterday intending to sail terday afternoon. "I have received six constantly shifting hand to mouth and

we of this great republic have a condi-bution to make to the cause of humanity, and we cannot make it unless we first and we cannot make it unless we first show that we can secure prosperity and fair dealing among our own men and women. I believe that in a crisis so grave it is impossible too greatly to magnify the needs of the causity of too strongly to dwell on the necessity of minimizing and subordinating the de-sires of individuals.

The letter bearing this information read in part as follows: "Nearing's ene-mies are working under cover, but work-ing hard. The first move was an attempt to persuade Mayor Charles M. Milro-to appoint Dr. John S. Pyle as a university trustee. The objections to Dr. No selection has been made from the Eleventh Congress district. This district is partly Staten island and partly in Manhattan. Chauncey M. Depew will well be selected by the partly's State con-tions of the anti-Nearing forces, then, it tops of the anti-Nearing forces, then, it the husbands accompanied their wives when they came to us looking for children.

That a little while ago a woman grave it is impossible too greatly to grave it is impossible too greatly to the needs of the country or too

Task Ahead for Delegates.

flicers and our defence board has the couple. New York people who are going sylvices of an officer from the navy. Into the country to live, asked for a lapt, W. V. Prati, an expert on adapt, W. V. Prati, an expert on adapt with the country to live, asked for a lapt tration can do an incalculable amount to make or mar our country's future. The men chosen to decide such a question that our mobile troops are out from their hearts simply yearned for another lapt tration can do an incalculable amount to make or mar our country's future. The men chosen to decide such a question of the next four years. ar mobile troops are out from their hearts simply years to thirty miles on either side little one to love.

"I am confident that the people who with what has been a real have come to us for habies are worthy be are sanguine that the every way and capable of taking care by sinister influence from within or with-court. They should be the very best men out. of children properly. Most of them are fairly well to do. The best of it is that they wanted so much to have a baby in the house that bushand and wife started out together to look for a child. "I do want to tind children for these." in the house that hubband wite started out together to look for a child. "I do want to find children for these people. I want to find homes for babies that ought to have them. It does seem as if in a big city like New York we ought to be able to bring these hungry had not make the programme before election but will resolutely and in good faith put it homemakers and the little ones. The death

CLEVELAND. March 9.—Cleveland and They should be controlled by no man and

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Former Withdraws "Armed Liner" Resolution and Latter Attacks President.

SAYS WILSON'S PRO-ALLY

WASHINGTON, March 9 -- Senator Mc-Cumber of North Dakota has withdrawn his resolution warning Americans off

seits Presidential primary. Neverthe- ber resolution all probability of action maries, and I emphatically decline to be being. Senator McCumber said to-day

"I am not in the least interested in the political fortunes either of myself ment from the Secretary of State 'that seagoing Americans will presently find German submarine warfare was enforced themselves as effectually warned against on February 18, 1915, as an act of repassage on armed merchantmen as prisal against illegal acts of Great Britthough this Government had in fact, air.

put into force either the Gore or McLe
"The Admiral Ganteaume, with 2,000 tending nations, all of which indicate a endency toward settlement of the U boat controversy, I feel that any resothat it would be a mistake to nomite me unless the country has in its bod something of the heroic—unless it at this time.

"The resolution introduced by me wall pertinent at a time when the President himself was asking for an expres that request, but under the tory where the action taken deternes the basis of the life of the generains that follow. Such times were those withdrawn. As the resolution is a constant of the days of Washd from 1858 to 1865, in the duty of American citizens during the controversy, if occasion demands it the future I shall reintroduce it. ask therefore permission to withdraw the

The request was granted

resolution introduced by senator does. Senator Vardaman's talk was mostly retrospective. He asserted his indepresent Administration, and the struggles between the President and his party leaders in Congress are to-day merely struggles as to whether the nation shall said the President had written some good said the President had written was in written some good said the President had written was in written was mostly retrospective. He asserted his independence of the White House and attacked the munition makers and the president had written was mostly retrospective. representatives books and was in many ways a remark-

tions of the anti-Nearing forces, then, it is said, an attack will be made on the lis said, an attack will be made on the City Cromwell will go from Staten Island. Council is scheduled to make the annual appropriation. The Council will be appealed to to withhold city support."

SPANKING GOOD FOR BABIES. Sugar and Bare Legs tre Bad. GOMPERS READY TO FIGHT. Says Man Who Knows.

baby specialist, has prepared a list of baby specialist, has prepared a list of "don'ts" for children. He calls sugar the root of all baby ills. They should be made to eat what is set before them, he says. Arms and legs should not be bare except on the hottest summer days.

Western Union Here, in Omaha

WILSON TO TAKE ISSUE WITH BRITAIN ON LINERS

Secretary Lansing Denies That an Indirect Warning Will Be Issued to Americans to Avoid Armed Vessels-British Answer German Memo.

he Administration was considering hanging its attitude on the armed merhantmen question and was contemplating the issuance of a warning to Americans to avoid taking passage on armed merchantmen called forth a vigrous denial to-day from Secretary Lan-

Mr. Lansing declared in a formal statement that there was no basis whatever for the rumor that an indirect but treat foodstuffs as contraband. effective warning was to be issued. It was admitted, however, that the Government contemplated taking issue with Great Britain on the character of armatiment carried by British series. Great Britain on the character of armament carried by British ships. Emphatic denials were also forthcom-

ing from other official quarters indicating that the Administration desires that there be no misunderstanding on the question of Americans travelling on armed merchantmen. Americans must decide for themselves whether it is advisable for them to take this risk.

A British Rejoinder.

bassy taking issue with practically every assertion made against Great Britain in the memorandum submitted to the State Department by Count von Bernstorff was issued to-day. An assumption that these charges would not be controverted had much to do with the origin the report that the State Departmen would modify its attitude on the question of issuing a warning.

serts that the German submarine cam paign was undertaken before Great Brit the braska, Minnesota and Michigan to this events during the last twenty-four hours mitted any act for which Germany might In our international tangle and in view have undertaken to retailate on the of what seems to be an authorized state. ground of violation of international law. The statement follows "According to the German statement

The Admiral Ganteaume, with 2,000

that new proposals and counter pro-posals are being presented by the conpital ship Asturias was fired at with a is a fact of first rate importance not only

On at Primary.

Washington, March 9.—Reports that apparently the nonacceptance of the Lonof the list of contraband, the warning to merchantmen as to mines in the North Sea and the capture of the Wilhelmina with foodstuffs on February 9.

> Reason for Non-ratification. "The Declaration of London of 1999 was never ratified by the British Gov-ernment and was never binding on them. One of the reasons of the non-ratification of the convention was the claim of the German Government as to the right to

> "The enlargement of the list of conthe Germans had sown mines in the high seas resulting in the destruction of many innocent merchant vessels, foreign as well as British.

"The W Wilhelmina, with a cargo of foodstuffs for Hamburg, was only stopped after the German cruisers had destroyed the Dutch vessel Maria in Sep-1915, which were conveying grain from California to Ireland."

WILSON AS TACTICIAN.

London "Times" Thinks He Has Proved His Courage and Skill. Special Cable Despatch to Tun Stv.

LONDON, March 9.—The Times in would care guinea bigs. President Wilson in Congress says: "President Wilson's victory is a re. that had markable proof of his courage and skill died. So we judged we as a tactician, but the party consequences to use those guinea pigs are too delicate for foreign observers to the was the same method. comment upon and too intricate for them the value of cerebro-punal to understand without the help of Americane, he said, although can critics.

"The great feature of the present sit-uation is that for almost the first time foreign affairs have become the leading issue in American politics. President Wilson thinks them so important that he faced the opposition of Democratic leaders. The Republicans have decided to make foreign affairs the main issue in the sheerend comparier. These experies."

Some people might sa the electoral campaign. These experi-enced politicians evidently agree that this year foreign affairs possess for the American people an interest the imporwhich they never possessed

"They are doubtless right, because it pedo on February 1. for the immediate present but for the illegal acts complained of are future of mankind."

G. O. P. DELEGATES AND MAY DEPORT CRIMINAL ALIENS AT ANY TIME

ALTERNATES LISTED Chairman Koenig Gives Out Woods Seeks Immigration Names That Will Be Voted

nd alternates to the Republican National Convention who have been designated by the district leaders in each of

Fourteenth, Otto T. Bannard and Her- criminal records. Mr. Woods said the

Lines Up Union Men Behind Bur-

Few babies grow up without the need members of the Farmers National Union Few babies grow up without the need of real corporal punishment, adds Dr. Morse. Never spank the hands or face. He also says that many children have the also says that many children have the need to be also says that many children have the need to be also says that many children have the need to be also says that many children have the next fortight."

Law Amendment Eliminating 3 Year Limit.

Manhattan. Chambery M. Depen will indicated his today, be chosen as the delegate from the Man-would have a majority of the votes cas betten and of the district, and George in Tuesday's primary Tuesday's primary Harry S. New of Indianapolis has wo the State gave New 8,394 are the only district leaders in the choice votes than were cast for James county who were designated as delegates. Watson of Rushville, his principal ponent.

Comparatively few second choice v. were cast and political observers certain that New would not have a si cient number together with the primary. Political leaders agree that

many candidates.

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be of importance to the War Departsome time this month, according to an-houncement made to-night.

The question involved is the transfer SUFFRAGISTS GOING WEST.

> The Congressional Union for Woman suffrage will send a delegation on a special train which will feave Washington April 9 on the errand of enlist
> SHIPBUILDING BOOM ON LAKES. ing the 4,000,000 women of the voting States in the West in the task of forc-ing the Democratic party, to put the Susan B. Anthony amendment enfran

than anywhere within continental United

furnish men who would be exceptionally

wards yesterday.
"If we were at war undoubtedly an

adversary would strike his first blow at canal in order to separate out fleet.

services of an officer from the navy. Capt. W. V. Prati, an expert on ad-

shall be able to make a report that will

Will Ask Women Voters to Bring

familiar with what has been a terra incognita. We are sanguine that as the result of practical manusures we

day by Germany against Portugal. The dates of the declarations, involving eleven nations, are given

1914. July 25-Austria declares war on May 23-Italy declares war on Aus-August 1-Germany declares war on October 14-Bulgaria declares war

August 23—Japan declares war on October 19—Russia and Italy declare war on Bulgaria. October 29-Turkey begins war on

the Portuguese Government by numerous Portuguese and German troops on the

and some gunboats and smaller craft Madeto, March 9.-In order to stop

Portuguese flag with the war

CALL FOR BABIES UP:

United States Embassy would forward a list of 491 British prisoners taken in the Dardanelles fighting and 170 prisoners taken in the Dardanelles fighting and 170 prisoners taken in Mesopotamia, all in the hands of the Turks.

"We have in the Panama Canal Zone called at our headquarters." 25 West Porty-fifth street, just to tell us how happy she was because she recently adopted a baby. She wanted to encourse of the Turks.

of children properly. Most of them are fairly well to do. The best of it is that

hearted homemakers and the little ones through if elected.

age other women without children of their own to do the same thing. "We received yesterday an applica-

\$27,000,000 in Contracts: Many Boats for Salt Water.

object. This is not the case with the lequests that have been made of us, as and we cannot make it unless we first

"The delegates who go to Chicago will have it in their power to determine the baby with dark hair, and to-day another couple. New York people who are going into the country to live, asked for a of the text four years. That adminis-

needs and desires of their fellows; their sections, but to the whole of the United ;

Boston, March 9,--Dr. John Lovett Morse of the Harvard Medical School.

nett Immigration Bill. Samuel Compers, president of the r American Federation of Labor, said yes

died of disease or accident because they were not taught obedience. The death certificate should read "failure of the dependence, who possess the broadest embaths with and understanding of the combaths with and understanding of the combaths with an extraction of the combaths. The combaths with a combath with the next forthight.

phasize a free people's determination to New York, Barclay Cor. Church St. have their expression written into law." Chicago, Randolph St., near Dearborn

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The plan was launched at the close of a patriotic address by Mrs. Lindon W. Bates of New Yerk city, chairman of the women's section, who amounced that Mrs. August R. Meyer of Kanasa (ity had been chosen as one of the State chairmen for Missouri and that if san organization was completed in St. Louis another chairman would be eslected hers.

Hoats for Salt Water.

Cheveland And the Jenson Claystander, March 9—Cleveland and the people that dwell there will tour the women in the work of the United States will be about 182. Hours a lord will be about 182. Hours a lord will be women of the United States and the people that dwell dwel THE PROVIDENT LOAN SOCIETY OF NEW YORK MANHATTAN. Courtlandt Ave., cor. 148th Street. Fourth Avenue, cor. 25th Street. Eldridge Street, cor. Rivington St.

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